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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Sir:

On behalf of the Assignee of Record, the undersigned hereby requests that a Certificate of Correction pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.323 be issued on the above-entitled patent. The corrections are indicated, in appropriate form, on attached Form PTO/SB/44, which is submitted in duplicate. The requested corrections relate to typographical errors in the claims which were made by U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and do not constitute new matter or require reexamination.

For the foregoing reasons, it is respectfully requested that the Commissioner issue a Certificate of Correction making the aforementioned requested corrections. The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned if clarification is required.

No fee is believed due; however the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0954.

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In the claims:

Claim 5, column 9, line 20, delete "no" and add --tip--.

Claim 8, column 9, line 58, delete "rip" and add --tip--.

Claim 11, column 10, line 17, delete "bath" and add --both--.

Claim 11, column 10, line 17, delete "rip" and add --tip--.

Claim 11, column 10, line 22, delete "source current" and add --sink currents--.

Claim 11, coulmn 10, line 24, after "currents", add --,--.

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